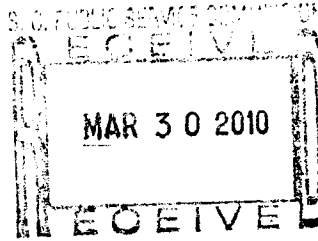


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February 15, 2010

Public Service Commission of S. C.  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Suite 100  
Columbia, S.C. 29210

Gentlemen,

I am writing to protest the proposed rate increase that SCANA and SCE&G are asking you to approve. They maintain that not enough money is being made on their investments to be a fair rate of return yet I see that they are earning two hundred seventy nine million dollars in 2009. How much do these million dollar salaried people want us to pay?

I work for a living and my return is down also. Perhaps you people on the public service commission should inform Mr Timmerman that real people are trying to stay afloat in todays economy.

Bottom line from me to you ---DO NOT APPROVE THIS RATE INCREASE.

Yours truly,

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